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MEN IN MIND IN HOPKINSVILLE

Prominent Factors in The
Busy Life of the Pearl
City.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH NO. 85

Business Career of Hopkins-
ville's Pioneer Horticultur-
ist and Produce Dealer.



WILLIAM R. BRUMFIELD.

One man is above all others responsible for what has become an important industry in and about Hopkinsville in the last few years. As a market gardener William R. Brumfield had his start in a very modest way when a mere boy. His father, Robt. F. Brumfield, began by marketing the surplus produce of his own small garden and Will, at the aged of 19 years, took over his small business and decided to push it as a money-making proposition. His energy, industry and zeal brought quick returns and he was soon renting all vacant lots in his neighborhood and raising produce for the market, a business then in its infancy. Largely to Mr. Brumfield's efforts, this business soon become an established industry. As it grew, he kept pace with it and in four years was cultivating about 30 acres of rented ground. Then he took his first plunge and bought 80 acres of fine farming land on the Canton pike and moved his business there in 1900. It did not take him long to scratch out from under a considerable debt the purchase entailed and as his means increased he improved his farm, enlarged old and erected new buildings, beautified the premises and to-day boasts of the finest market garden plant in the state of Kentucky, according to the opinion of the government experts who inspected it last year when the Morgan Day visitors were entertained by Mr. Brumfield.

Since moving to this place he has bought and sold several fine tracts of land, making a big success as a dealer

in real estate. One addition called Grand View Heights near the city, netted him big profits. He has also acquired a farm of 400 acres on the Butler road, where he raises many of his larger crops, having 50 acres in potatoes alone. He operates a general farm, raising tobacco, corn and hay with other lines and pays some attention to live stock.

For the last ten years he has sold his produce only to wholesalers and has built up quite a profitable shipping business.

Strawberries are one of his specialties and his crop this year will amount to about 8,000 gallons.

In all respects Mr. Brumfield is a progressive, wide-awake citizen and can always be counted upon to do his part in any public movement to help Hopkinsville.

He is prominent in the Christian church and in the recent contest between the Reds and Blues, in a Bible Class rally, led the Blues to a distinct victory, bringing into play his characteristic energy and resourcefulness to meet every turn. He knows no such word as fail.

Several years ago he was for a while a candidate for nomination for county clerk, by the Republican party, but politics was not to his taste and he withdrew before the convention was held, concluding that there was more money for him in tilling the soil than in playing politics. Since then his political activities have been confined to voting the Republican ticket.

Mr. Brumfield was born near Hopkinsville, Sept. 25, 1877, and has lived all of his life within sight of the busy city.

GIGANTIC MERGER OF COMPANIES

Willys-Overland and Chalmers Mentioned as Probably Near Combine.

New York, June 5.—Furious activity in the shares of automobile companies on the Stock Exchange and the curb, or outside market, was attended by circumstantial rumors of a gigantic merger of these interests with a capitalization in excess of \$200,000,000.

The companies mentioned in the reported consolidation include the Willys-Overland Company, Chalmers Motor Company, Hudson Motor Company and the United Motors Company, together with several concerns engaged in the manufacture of automobile supplies, such as the Fisk Rubber Company and the Auto-Light Company.

Blow at Modern Fiction. Magazine short stories multiply, but those that improve on the short stories of "Mother Goose" are few and far between.—Brooklyn Eagle.

PURELY PERSONAL

Little Misses Annie Polk and Belle Maynard are visiting Mrs. W. P. Qualls in Hopkinsville.—Trenton Progress.

Ernest Pursley has finished the course at Kentucky University, graduating with the degree of Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering. He will go to Chicago, to work with Lewis & Capeton Co., heating and ventilating engineers. Two other local boys finished. Logan Green graduated in law and Harold Clark in Mechanical Engineering. He will go to Buffalo, N. Y. with the Buffalo Forge Co.

Misses Jessie and Mollie Smithson, daughters of Rev. J. O. Smithson, of Louisville, who had been spending a few days with the family of Mr. W. E. Adcock, near Church Hill, left this morning for Council Bluffs, Iowa, where they will spend the summer with their aunt, Mrs. L. D. Jones. Their father accompanied them as far as Evansville.

Mrs. Brenda Harlow has returned from a visit to her son, George Harlow, in Nashville.

Miss Elizabeth McGee is visiting the family of Mr. W. A. McKenzie, near Oak Grove.

Col. J. W. McPherson spent Sunday in Madisonville, visiting his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Southall, of Nashville, visited Mr. Southall's mother here Sunday. Mrs. Southall is a sister of the wife of Gov. Rye. Mr. Southall holds a government position in Tennessee.

T. L. Morrow, who has been in the East for several weeks, is spending a few days in the city, enroute to his home at Hattiesburg, Miss.

Mrs. L. H. McKee and her son, Ellis McKee, who is recovering from a long and dangerous spell of illness, arrived from Jonesboro, Ark., Saturday.

Mrs. J. Mark Robbins, of Los Angeles, Cal., who had been here several weeks on a visit to relatives, has returned home.

John T. Edmunds has returned from a trip to Florida.

W. D. Mitchell, Dr. B. N. Hale, Ellis Adams, John Poindexter and W. E. Withers, of Cadiz, spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Viva Barger returned to her home in Pembroke Sunday after a week's visit here with her sister, Mrs. L. S. West.

Consulate Reopened.

The American Consulate in Mexico City has been opened with J. W. Rowe in charge, according to a message received by the Mexican Consulate here. The Consulate had been closed for two years.

Baseball.

STANDING OF KITTY LEAGUE.

	Played	Won	Lost	Pct.
Owensboro...	13	10	3	.769
Clarksville...	14	10	4	.714
Henderson...	14	9	5	.643
Dawson Spgs.	14	5	9	.357
Madisonville.	14	5	9	.357
Hopkinsville.	13	2	11	.154

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Hopkinsville at Dawson
Madisonville at Henderson
Clarksville at Owensboro

SUNDAY GAMES.

Hopkinsville 6; Dawson 0.
Owensboro 9; Clarksville 5.
Madisonville 12; Henderson 3.

Hopkinsville actually won another game Sunday.

Owensboro wrested first place from Clarksville Sunday and Henderson was badly walloped by Madisonville.

Owensboro asks that the report that Madisonville beat Owensboro June 1 be corrected. The latter team won 6 to 4.

COMES UNANNOUNCED

Carnival Will Show a Week
Under Auspices of Kitty
Ball Team.

Leggette & Brown's shows, a carnival, dropped into town yesterday unannounced, for a week's engagement on the lot adjoining the ball park, coming under the auspices of the Kitty League Baseball Association. No charge at the gate. It has a full line of attractions and the shows are said to be clean and meritorious.

John Mack Meloon.

"Tennessee, the New Land of Canaan" is the title of a pamphlet issued by J. M. Meloon, statistician, who is now a part of Gov. Rye's administration. It contains 70 pages of interesting matter and numerous illustrations about all phases of agriculture and stock raising in the state.

Daily Thought.

The mind that is cheerful in its present state will be adverse to all solicitudes to the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a placid smile.—Horace.

INJURED BY AUTO TRUCK

Deliveryman Run Over By
Machine And May Die
as Result.

Dorris Stewart, who is employed in the delivery department of Mr. R. C. Hopson's grocery business, was badly injured Saturday afternoon when he was run over by an auto delivery wagon. A delivery was being made on the West side and Mr. Stewart was in the rear of the auto, when he fell, and two wheels passed over his body. He was given medical attention at once and later was taken to the home of his father, Mr. Henry Stewart, near the city. His injuries are considered of a very serious character and it is feared that they may result fatally.

Defining an Optimist.

An optimist may be described as a person who believes that a wolf is going to be captured during a big wolf hunt.—Atchison Globe.

"ALL SILOS NOT ALIKE"

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